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PATENT APPLICATION  
File No: 99-50

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Scott R. Presnell, Steven K. Burkhead, Sarah L. Pownder  
Serial No. : 09/608,918  
Group Art Unit : 1646  
Examiner : Jiang, D.  
Filed : June 30, 2000  
For : INTERLEUKIN-17 RECEPTOR HOMOLOGUE (As Amended)  
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**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated February 28, 2003 be extended for a period of one month from May 28, 2003 to June 28, 2003.

Applicants claim small entity status. Please charge the total fee, estimated to be \$55.00, to ZymoGenetics, Inc., Deposit Account No. 26-0290. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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